

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/597,781
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First Named Inventor : Daniel R. Swiler et al.
Attorney Docket No. : FER-15400.001.001
Confirmation No. : 6294
Title : METHODS OF FORMING AND DETECTING NON-
: VISIBLE MARKS AND ARTICLES MARKED IN
: ACCORDANCE WITH THE METHODS

Examiner : Sonji N. Johnson
Art Unit : 2887

AMENDMENT "A"

(In response to Paper No./Mail Date 20091229)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office action dated January 5, 2010.
Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 13 of this paper.